



Mid-Wydean Churches

Serving Coleford, Broadwell, Clearwell, Newland,
Redbrook, Staunton and surrounding areas



1st May 2016 - Easter 6

Welcome! Especially to Amelia Rose Addis who is being baptised at the Church of the Good Shepherd this morning

Time	Place	This Week	Next week
09:30	All Saints Newland	No service	SB
09:30	All Saints Staunton	SB	No service
09:30	St J's @ St MM Coleford	AW	AW/ AH(P)
11:00	Good Shepherd B'well	AW BAP	SB
11:00	St Peter's Clearwell	SB	AW
16:00	St Saviour's Redbrook	No service	No service

Readings

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Acts 16.9-15	145	Acts 16.16-34	145
Psalms 67	558	Psalms 97	580
Revelation 21.10,22 - 22.5	281	Revelation 22.12-14,16,17,20,21	282
John 14.23-29 or John 5.1-9	117/103	John 17.20-26	119

Prayers: In your prayers this week, please pray for:

✠ **For the sick, anxious and housebound:** especially Fergus Haworth. *Please let Sarah know names of anyone who would be happy to be added to the list. Names on this list will be removed after four appearances unless someone asks for them to remain listed. Thank you.*



✠ **For those who mourn,** especially for the families and friends of Pamela Tyler who has recently died and also of June Bevan whose anniversary of death falls around this time. *Do please let Sarah know of any prayers answered, or any changes to the lists that might be needed. Thanks.*

Collect for today:

God our redeemer, you have delivered us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Or

Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples: help your Church to obey your command and draw the nations to the fire of your love, to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

Post Communion Prayer:

God our Father, whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life: may we thirst for you, the spring of life and source of goodness, through him who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

News and notices...

Tuesday 3rd May – 7.30pm House group at Alis and Edwina's house. Please note that these meetings will continue on a Tuesday during May and will change to a Thursday from June onwards.

Saturday 7th May – 7.30pm Changing Tunes Concert at Christchurch, Berry Hill. An evening of live music performed by ex-prisoners and musicians in residence. See poster for more details.

Wednesday 11th May – 2.30pm Inaugural meeting of the Staunton Wednesday group at White Horse, Staunton. All welcome.

Saturday 14th May @ 10 -12 am at The Good Shepherd PLANT AND CAKE SALE with refreshments. Donations of plants and cakes needed. Plants can be left in the church the week before or from 9.30 on 14th. Cakes on the morning. Phone or email Jean Smith on 832491 or jmsmithmcs@yahoo.co.uk for more information.

Birthdays 1st May Brian Oliver; 4th May Allan Bidmead & Naomi Wright StJ & Margaret Winter StS: Many Happy Returns and may God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

Banns: SPC: Chloe Arrowsmith & Stefan Lageri-Schmidt Jensen; Richard Meek and Amy Toomer; Hannah James & Adam Hughes; Rhys David and Lisa Ransome; Katherine Jacques and Richard Jones; Teresa Morgan & James Kane;

GSB: Jonathan Hawkins & Beth Cooke; Aaron Salter & Laura Harrington.

This week's regular meetings:

Mon 2

Tues 3 8.15am@ASN Morning Prayer – all welcome
2.30pm CAMEO meet at the Good Shepherd

Weds 4 8:30am @ GS Morning Prayer - all welcome
11:00 @v GS/Coleford Funeral of Pamela Tyler

Thurs 5

Fri 6

Advance dates (for more info please ask):

June - A European Tea Party! – Time and venue TBC.

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